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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

J. YUN TSO

Application No.: 09/618,380

Filed: July 18, 2000

For: HUMANIZED ANTIBODIES
AGAINST CD3

Examiner: L. Helms

Art Unit: 1642

STATUS REQUEST

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicants request the status of their petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment filed February 18, 2005. It appears from the PAIR record that the petition has been received but no decision has apparently issued.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at (650) 326-2400.

Respectfully submitted,

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